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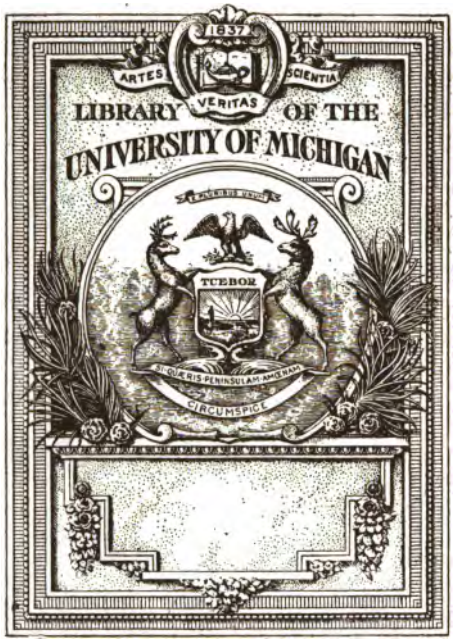
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Att a Generall Assembly Mett at the House of m^{r}: Francis Fidling in Charles Towne The 13th: Day of Sep^{tr}: Anno Dom 1698/
A Coppy of ye writt for Ellecting memb^{rs}: of assembly for Berkly and Craven Countyes (Vizt).
John Earle of Bath Pallatine and the Rest of the True and absolute Lords and Prop^{rs}: of ye Province of Carolina./

To Robert Gibbes Esqr High Sheriffe of Berkly County—

Wee Comand you to Summons all the ffree Holders of Berkly and Craven Countyes Quallified for Ellection of Members of Assembly to Convene at Charles Towne the Eighteenth Day of August next, Then and There according to the Directions of an act of Assembly Entituled an act to Regulate the Ellections of members of Assembly to Chuse & Ellect Twenty members of Assembly to advice Consult and Consent to and wth us about the Arduous and Great Affaires & matters of y^{t}: part of this Province that Lyes South and West of Cape ffeare, which Assembly So Ellected you are to Summons to meete in Charles Towne at y^{e}: House of m^{r} ffra ffidling on ye 13th Day of September Next to Sitt in a General Assembly for this part of this Province, And of ye s^{d} Ellection—together wth: this Precept you are to Returne to us at y^{e}: time and Place aforesaid, of which you are not to fayle Witness our hands and Seales at Charles Towne the 14th: Day of July Anno Dom 1698/

Ja: Moore
John Morton
Joseph Blake
Joseph Morton
Tho: Cary

The Returne of the High Sheriffe of Berkly County of Memb^{rs}. of Assembly, (Vizt)
To The R^{t}: Hono^{ble}= Joseph Blake Esqr. Prop^{r}, Governo^{r}, &c/
And To the Hono^{ble}: the Memb^{rs}— of his Councill/
By Virtue of the wthin Precept from yor Hono^{rs} to me Directed I did Summons all the free Holders of Berkly and Craven Countyes Quallified for Ellecting members of Assembly to Convene, at Charles Towne, ye 18th: Day of August last past. And then and there according to the force forme and Effect, of the within Recited Act Entituled an act to Regulate the Ellection of Memb^{rs}: of Assembly The s^{d} ffree Holders Did then and there by Majority of Voates Chose, Twenty memb^{rs}; (Vizt)

	Voates		Voates
Ralph Izard	127	Robert Johnson	109
Joseph Crosskeys	127	Thomas Smith — —	109
Jonathan Amory	126	Robert Stevens —	106
Thomas Broughton	125	John Alexander —	103
Gabrill Glaze —	126	Job Hows — —	—101
Robert Hall —	124	Charles Burnham —	100
Will Smith merch^{t}	123	John Ashby — —	— 95
Georg Dearsley	121	James Risbee —	— 86
Georg Smith merch^{t}	118	William White —	— 75
John Buckly —	117	William Elliott —	— 57

Butt The wthin Named James Risbee one of the s^{d} Number then not being ℘sonally Resideing in this County, I Do Humbly Leave his Ellection to be Considered of & Determined where of Right it Doth Belong/

And further I Doe Humbly Signifie to yor Hono^{rs} That m^{r}: Georg Logan and m^{r} James Witter Stands next, highest in Voates being Each 53, which members I Sumoned to mette in Charles Towne at the House of M^{r}, ffr^{a}. ffidling on y^{e}. Thirteenth of this Instant Septemb^{r} to Advise Consult & Consent to doe according to the Tennure, of s^{d} Precept in that Behalfe In Witness whereof I have putt my hand and Seale, This first Day of Septemb^{r} 1698/

Robert Gibbes Sheriffe,

A Coppy of The Writt for Electing memb^{rs}= of Assembly for Colleton County (Vizt)

John Earle of Bath Pallatine and y^{e}: Rest of y^{e} True and absolute Lords & Prop^{rs}— of y^{e}: Province of Carolina/

To Robert Seabrooke Esqr: High Sheriffe of Colleton County/

Wee Command you to Summon all the ffree Holders of Colleton County, And the ffreeholders Inhabitting to y^{e}. Southward thereof, Quallified for Election of Members of Assembly to Convene at Wilton on the Eighteenth Day of August next Then and there according to ye Directions of an act of Assembly Entituled an act to Regulate the Election of members of Assembly To Advise Consult and Consent to and wth us about the Arduous and Great Affaires and matters of that part of this Province that Lyes South and West of Cape Feare which Members Soe Elected you are to Summons to meete in Charles Towne at ye House of

m^r Francis ffidling on y^e— 13th Day of September next to Sitt in a Generall Assembly for this Part of this Province And of ye s^d Election together w^th— this Precept you are to to Returne to us at the Time and Place aforesaid of (which) fayle not. Witness our Hands and Seales at Charles Towne The fourteenth Day of July Anno Dom: 1698/

Joseph Blake
Joseph Morton
James Moore
Thomas Cary
John Morton

Colleton County/

The Returne of The High Sheriffe of Colleton County of Memb^rs— of Assembly (Vizt)

By Virtue of y^e= w^thin Precept which Commanded me to Summon the ffree Holders of Colleton County To meete on The Eighteenth Day of August at Wilton, There to Elect Tenn Members of Assembly for the said County, The Free Holders there mett Elected,

who had Voates		Voates
Capt= William Davis—	— 41	
Capt= Georg Raynor—	— 40	
m^r. William Peter —	— 35	
m^r: John Whitmarsh	— 35	
Capt: John Hamilton,	— 34	
M^r= John Cowing		33
M^r= Abra Waight		— 23
M^r= Tho= Elliott		— — 21
M^r= Cha= Odingsell		— — 26
m^r: Hugh Hext & Robt: Seabrooke in Dispute — —		— 32

Robt Seabrooke (Seale)

Members of Assembly appeared as ffolloweth

Capt: Job Hows
m^r: Ralph Izard
m^r: Robt: Stevens
m^r: Jonathan Amory
m^r: Robt: Hall
M^r: John Buckly
M^r: Joseph Crosskeys
M^r: Gabrill Glaze
M^r: Abraham Waght

M^r: John Ashby
m^r: John Alexander
Capt: Tho= Smith
Capt= Georg Smith
Capt: Georg Dearsley
M^r= William Elliott
M^r= John Cowing
M^r: John Whittmarsh
Mr Thomas Elliott—
Mr William Peter—

This Question is putt whether mr: Jonathan Amory shall be Speaker of this House of Commons/

Caryed by majority of voates
That mr Jonathan Amory be
Speaker of this House
Who Accordingly took ye Chair

The Question is putt whether the House shall Enter upon Buisness this Night or adjourne/

Caryed to Enter upon Buisness
this Night/

The Question is putt Whether Capt= James Risbee returned Specially by the Sheriffe of Berkly County for a member of Assembly to Serve for the sd: County be Duly Elected according to an Act to Regulate the Elections of the members of Assembly, or not

{Caryed in ye:
Negative}

The Sheriffe of Berkly County returning mr Georg Logan & mr James Witter of Equall Voates/.

The Question is putt whether the Commons of ye Assembly or ye: said Sheriffe Shall name which of ye sd: ℙsons Shall be member of Assembly/

{Caryed yt= the Commons Doe name which Shall be
membr= of Assembly/

The Question is putt whether mr: Georg Logan Shall be member of assembly, or not/

Resolved yt: mr: Georg Logan be member of Assembly/

Ordered that the Sheriffe of Berkly County Doe mend his Returne and Enter mr: Georg Logan a member of this House for Berkly County and that he Doe give mr.. Georg Logan Notice to attend ye: Service of this House—

Rules and Orders to be Observed by ye: Members of this House.. (Vizt)

(1) When any man Intends to Speake, he is to Stand up uncovered and to Address himselfe to the Speaker, who usually calls such ℙson by name yt: the House may take notice who it is yt. Speaks—

(2dly) If more then one Stands up at once, The Speaker is to Determine who was first up and he is to speak and ye: others to Sitt Downe, unless he who was first up Sitt Downe againe and give way to ye other or that Some member stand up and acquaint

the House that an other was up before him whome the Speaker Calls and ye House adjudge it Soe

(3dly) When a member is Speaking none is to Stand up or Interupt him Till he has Done Speaking and Satt Downe, and then any other may arise/

(4^ly) That when m^r Speaker Desires to Speake he ought to be heard w^thout Interuption if y^e: House be Silent and in Dispute

(5^ly.) That if any Question, be upon a Bill, The Speaker is to Explaine, but not to Sway y^e: House wth. arguments or Disputes

(6^ly) That if any member Hisses or Disturbeth any one in his Speech he shall answer it at ye Barr

(7^ly) If any member (The House Sitting & in p^rsence use any Reflecting words of or offend y^e: authority of his Majestie The Governo^r or this House he is to be Called to the Barr and there answer the same

(8^ly)— Any member (the House Sitting Departing the House with out Leave, from y^e: Speaker Shall be fined any Sume not Exceeding Two Shillings and Six pence

(9^ly—) When Any member Speakes To a Bill Lett him Stand up uncovered, and Direct his Speech only to the Speaker or Chaire and altho' upon the answer of an other member he hath further matter to alledge in Defence of his first argument ag^t y^e: answer, yett he shall not make any further Discourse on the Same Day w^th=out Leave of the House/—

(10) When any matter or bill is putt to the Voate in y^e: house. The Speaker Shall putt the Question Thus The Yeas are to Stand up and the Nayes to Sitt Downe/

(11^ly:) All Bills are Either unanimously Rejected at first, or allowed to be Debated/

(12) After any Bill hath been Twice Read on Two Severall Days Then it is Ingrosed and Read ye Third time, And then the Chaire man is to aske if they will have it putt to y^e: Question a Law or no Law/

(i3) If any bill be Rejected, The Same Shall not be any more Proposed that Session w^thout some materill alteration/

(14) Any member fayleing or neglecting to meete at the houre of adjournm^t w^th:out Shewing a Satisfactory Reason to the House Shall be fined for Every Default in any Sume not Exceeding Two Shill & Six pence/

(15^ly) While ye House is Sitting no man ought to Speak or Whisper to an other to the End the House might not be

Interupted. When any are Speaking but Every one one is to Tend the Business of the House/

(16) Ordered That the Majority of Tenn Memb^{rs} of this House or any Number above may from time to Time Adjourne the House Provided the Speaker be one Butt for any Thing Else, not Less then Sixteene memb^{rs}— Shall have Power/

(17) That Till the Buisness in agitation be Ended noe new Motion of any new matter Shall be made wth:out Leave of the House,/

(18) Ordered— That no member of The House Smoak In The House The House Sitting/

M^{r}= Speaker by Consent Adjourned y^{e}: House Till Eight of y^{e} Clock Tomorrow Morning

September y^{e}: 14th: 1698/

In the Morning The House Mett according To adjournment/

Members Absent,

Maj^{r}: Tho: Broughton	Capt: Georg Rayno^{r}
m^{r}: John Buckly	Capt: Jno: Hamilton
Capt Robt: Johnson Sick	m^{r}: Charles Odingsell
Doct^{r} Charles Burnham	M^{r}: Jos Crosskeys Sick
Capt Will Davis	

Ordered That Robert Seabrooke Esqr who Executed the precept for Electing members of Assembly for Colleton County, Doe mend his Returne by Raceing his owne name out of the s^{d}: Returne And that he Doe give m^{r}: Hugh Hext notice to attend y^{e} Service of this House as a memb^{r}= thereof for Colleton County/

Mr Speaker by Consent adjournd, The House Till 2 of y^{e} Clock in The afternoone/

In The afternoone The House mett According To Adjournment

A Bill to prevent y^{e} fireing of Houses in Charles Towne Committed to m^{r} John Buckly m^{r}: John Alexander & Mr Georg Logan to be prepared

A Bill for makeing the Sheriffs Lyable for Prisno^{rs}: Escapes Committed to m^{r} Robt Stevens & m^{r} Ralph Izard to be prepared/

Ordered y^{t} Capt: Job How and Cap^{t}Georg Dearsly Do Examine

y^{e}: Acts, and see what acts are Expired and Neare Expireing and Report ye same to this House,/

M^{r}. Speaker by Consent of ye House Adjourned Till Eight of ye Clock tomorow Morning/

September ye 15th 1698, Thursday/
In The Morning The House Mett according to Adjournm^{t}/

1 A Bill for Distroying of unmarked Cattle Comitted to Capt Georg Dearsley and m^{r} W^{m}— White to be Prepared/

2 A Bill for Registering Births, Marriages and Burialls Comitted to m^{r} Robert Stevens and m^{r} Ralph Izard To be prepared/

(3) Ordered That y^{e}: Commisson^{rs}: of y^{e}: Poore Do Rend^{r} to ye Commons of y^{e}: Assembly an acco^{t} of what money they have received and Disburst/

4 A Bill for the Better ordering of Slaves Comited To Capt Job How m^{r} Ralph Izard and m^{r}: Robert Stevens and Capt W^{m}— Davis to be prepared/

5 A Bill for the tryall of Small and meane Causes Comitted to M^{r}= John Ashby. To be prepared.

6 A Bill for the Entry of vessells Comitted to M^{r}= Robert Hall & M^{r}= George Smith to be prepared./

7 A Bill for makeing mending & keeping in Repaire Sufficient ffences Comitted to Capt: George Rayner & M^{r}: William Elliot to be prepared./

8 An Aditionall Bill to prevent the Seas further Encrochment upon the wharfe in Charles Towne Comitted to Capt: Thomas Smith & M^{r}= William Elliot to be prepared./

9 A Bill for makeing and mending high wayes Comitted to Cap^{tt}: Thomas Smith & Cap^{tt}: George Dearsley to be prepared./

10 A Bill for packing and Gaugeing of Barrells Comitted to M^{r}: John Alexander. M^{r}: John Buckley & M^{r}: George Logan to be prepared./

11 A Bill for Settleing of Pylotage Comitted to m^{r}— John Buckley & M^{r}: Joseph Croskeys to be prepared./

12 A Bill for Settleing Publique officers ffees Comitted to M^{r}= Ralph Izard, M^{r}: Job How. & M^{r}: Robert Stevens to be prepared./

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent adjourned till to morrow morning 8 of the Clock./

ffryday 1698/ In The Morning The 16th Septbr= The House mett According To Adjournment

A Bill for The Better ordering of Slaves

Read The first Time and Past wth: Amendmts:

Upon Request of mr Robert Hall made To ye House for his Absence Till Tuesday next for ye. Cure of his Legg—

Ordered yt he have ye Leave of this house, for his absence, Till Tuesday next, and then Attend ye service of ye Same/

Mr: Speaker by Consent, adjournd—The House Till Two of ye Clock In ye afternoone/

In The Afternoone The House mett accor: Ding To Adjournment;

An Aditionall Bill to Prevent The Seas furthr: Encrochment upon the wharfe in Charles Towne Comitted to Capt: Tho: Smith and mr. Charles Odingsells To be Prepared;

A Bill for The Tryall of Small and meane Causes, Read ye first Time and past wth: Amendments—;

A Bill for the Raiseing of a Publick Store of Powder for ye: Defence of this Province Comited to major: Thomas Broughton and mr Robert Stevens to be Prepared—;

ffoundamentall Constitutions Conta— ffourty & one Articles being offered to This House by the upper House for their Approbation and Confirmation; The Same was this day Read

Ordered yt ye Debate and Consideration There of be Defered Till: an other Time;

Ordered yt: Capt: Thomas Smith have ye Leave of this House To Goe Home; and attend The Service of This House againe on Munday next;

Mr: Speaker by Consent of ye Membrs— Adjourned ye: House Till Eight of ye: Clock Tomorrow Morning;

Saturday y^{e}: 17th: 7^{ber}: in ye morning The House Mett
A Bill { according to Adjournm^{t}/.
for ascertaineing Publick officers ffees Read ye first Time and past with Amendments;

Ordered y^{t} Capt: Georg Rayno^{r}: have Leave of this House To Goe home and attend The Service of The Same on Tuesday next in ye afternoone;

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent adjourned y^{e}: House Till Two of ye Clock in the afternoone on Munday next;

Munday In the afternoone the 19th: of September 1698/
The House mett According To Adjournment^{t},
A Bill for The Entry of Vessells Read The first Time and Past wth: amendments,
Read a Lett^{r}.. from ye Commission^{rs}: of Trade to ye Lords Prop^{rs}— And a Copy of an Act made in Jamaica Concerning Privaters and Pyrates Sent by The Honob^{le} The Governo^{r} and Lords Prop^{rs}: Deputyes To this House for Their Consideration;

Ordered y^{t} ye matter of the Same be Debated In a Committee of the whole House on Thursday morning next;

M^{r}— Speaker by Consent adjourned ye House Till Tomorrow morning Eight of the Clock;

Tuesday in The Morning The 20th Sep^{t}— 1698/
The House Mett according To adjournm^{t}
A Bill for assertaineing The Gauge of Barrells and for aVoyding Deceipts in Buying and Selling Beef and Porke Read The first Time and Past wth amendments

Ordered that The Receiver of y^{e}: Publick Store of Powder Doe Render To this House his acco^{ts}=

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent adjourned The House Till Three of the Clock in The afternoone/

In The Afternoone The House mett
according To adjournm^{t};

Mr Robert Stevens Reporting to This House that their Remaines Due To m^{r} Clavell of London Bookseller The Sume of ffifty Three Pounds To be paid in London for Bookes Belonging to ye Library of Charles Towne in Carolina,

Resolved by This House that ye s^{d}: ffifty Three Pounds be paid/ And y^{t} m^{r}: John Buckly and m^{r} Georg Loggan Do Enquire The Easiest way of Paying the said Money and Report y^{e}. Same to this House;

Upon Reading the Governo^{rs}: Speech Relateing to the Maintaineing of a minister of the Church of England, Lately Arived;

Resolved Nemini Contra Dicenti that y^{e}. Minister by name Doct^{r} Samuell Marshall shall have a Sufficent mainetaineance allowed him;

Resolved that Doct^{r}: Marshall aforesaid shall have his Maintaineance paid him out y^{e}: Publick Treasurey;

Ordered That Capt: Job How & m^{r} Ralph Izard be a Committee to Draw up a Bill To Provide for a Sufficent Mainetaineance for A Minister, or Ministers of y^{e}: Church of England;

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent Adjourned the House Till To morrow morning Eight of the Clock;

Wednsday in the Morning y^{e}: 21st 7^{ber}— 1698;
The House mett according To adjournment,

A Reviveing Continueing And Repealeing Bill Read The first Time and Past wth: Amendments;

A Bill for the Entry of Vessells Read the first Time and Past wth: Amendments;

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent Adjourned the House Till Two of the Clock in The afternoone;

In The afternoone The House mett according To adjournment;

A Bill for Regulateing Publick officers ffees Read The Seccond Time and Past,;

M^{r},, Speaker by Consent Adjourned ye House Till To morrow morning—Eight of the Clock,;

Thursday y^{e}: 22^{d}: September 1698/
In The Morning The House mett
According To adjournment;

According to an order of This House for Debateing The Matter of an Act made in Jamaica for Restraineing Privaters and Pyrats, Sent to this House by The upper House,

Resolved by this House that ye Sd Mille Three Pounds be paid, And ye Mr John Buckly and Mr Georg Eggar, Do Enquire the Easiest way of Paying the Said Money, and Report ye Same to this House;

Upon Reading the Governors Speech Relateing to the Maintaineing of a minister of the Church of England Lately Arrived;

Resolved Nemini Contra Dicente that ye Minister by Name Doct Samuell Marshall shall have a Sufficent Maintainance allowed him;

Resolved that Doct Marshall aforesaid shall have his Maintaineance paid him out ye Publick Treasurey;

Ordered that Capt Joo Hew Capt Ralph Hardy be a Committee to Draw up a Bill to Provide for a Sufficent Maintainance for a minister or Ministers of ye Church of England;

Mr Speaker by Consent Adjourned the House Till To morrow Morning Eight of the Clock;

Wednsday in the Morning ye 21st 7ber 1695, The House Mett according to adjourment;

A Revieueing Continueing and Repealeing Bill Read the first time and Passed with Amendments;

The House Resolved into a Grand Comitte to Debate the Matter of the said act, And Doct^{r}— Charles Burnham Chosen Chaireman;

Resolved by ye s^{d} Comitte That a Bill be Drawne up for ye Method of Trying Privaters & Pyrats;

Resolved y^{t} it shall be ffellony for any Subject of ye Kingdome of England to serve any Prince or Potentate whatsoever in an Hostile manner ag^{t} his said Majestie or any of his Subjects ×

Resolved y^{t} ye act Doe Provide for The Tryall of all Treasons ffellonies, Pyracies, Roberies, Murders or Confederacies that shall Hereafter be Comitted upon the Seas where ye admirall hath Jurisdiction;

Resolved all former Proceeding ag^{t} the aforesaid offend^{rs}: be Ratified and all officers Indemnified;

Resolved y^{t} those y^{t} hold Correspondence wth such Persons after Proclamation, Shall be fined or Imprisoned

Resolved y^{t}: Power be Given to the Commission officers to Raise forces for apprehding Pyrats after Proclamacon;

M^{r}: Speaker Reasumed y^{e}: Chaire And m^{r} Chaireman made Report as above,;

The House Agrees to ye above Resolutions of the Comitte;

Ordered that a Bill for Restraineing and Punishing Privaters and Pyratts, be Comitted to Doct^{r}: Charles Burnham, m^{r}: John Buckly and m^{r}— Robert Hall to be Prepared;

Ordered y^{t} Every member that withdraws him or Themselves into the next Roome without Leave from the Speaker, Shall for each Time fforfeitt The Sum of One Shilling and Three Pence,;

Upon Hereing the Petition Read of the Executors of m^{r}: Joshua Snell Deceased, To Impower Them to make Sale of The Reale Estate, of The said Joshua Snell, for The Better Mainetaineance of his onely Daughter Kathrine;

Ordered That m^{r}: Robert Hall Doe Prepare a Bill for the Purpose aforesaid and Present the Same To this House

Upon heareing the Petition of The Inhabittants of Charles Towne for a new Survey of Charles Towne;

Ordered y^{t}: m^{r}: John Buckley & m^{r} Georg Loggan Doe prepare a bill for the s^{d}— Survey & p^{r}sent ye Same to this House;

A Bill for Assertaineing the Guage of Barr^{lls}— And for avoydin Deceipts in Buying and Selling Beefe and Porke Read the Seccond Time & Past/

Ordered That Capt Thomas Smith have Leave to Goe home And attend the Service of This House on Munday Next at Two of the Clock in The afternoone ×

Mr Speaker by Consent of The Memb^{rs} Adjourned The House Till Two of the Clock in The afternoone/

In The afternoone The House mett According to adjournment, M^{r}: Speaker by Consent Adjourned The House Till to morrow Morning Eight of the Clock,

Fryday the 23^{d} Sept^{br}= 1698/

In The Morning y^{e}: House Mett

According to adjournment,

A Bill for y^{e}: better Ordering of Slaves read the Seccond Time and Past/

A Reviveing Continueing and Repealeing bill Read y^{e}: seccond Time and Past/

A Bill for y^{e}: Encouragement of y^{e}: Importation of White Servants Read the first Time and Past wth: Amendments./

A Bill to Enable Kathrine Snell y^{e}: only Daughter of Joshua Snell Planter Deceased, To Sell and aliene Lands for her Maintaineance and for the Payment of Debts and Legacies Read The first Time and Past wth: Amendments./

A Bill for The Restraineing and Punishing of Privatears and Pyrates Read y^{e}: first Time and Past with amendments./

A Bill to Provide a Publick Store of Powder, for The Defence of This Province, Read y^{e} first Time and Past with amendments./

The House Adjourned Till Two of the Clock in y^{e}= afternoone./

In The afternoone. The House Mett according to adjournm^{t}./

Ordered That Doct^{r}: Charles Burnham have Leave to Goe Home and attend The Service of This House on Tuesday Morning next./

A Bill for Makeing and mending High wayes and Paths and for Cutting of Creekes and Water courses Read y^{e}: first Time and Past with Amendments./

Ordered y^{t}: a Bill for Ascertaineing The Gauge of Barr^{lls}: and for avoyding Deceits in Buying and Selling Beefe and Porke Bee Ingrossed

Ordrd= That a Bill for Ascertaineing Publick officers ffees be Ingrossed./

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent adjourned y^{e} House, Till Tomorrow Eight of y^{e} Clock in y^{e} Morning./

In The Morning The 24th- Septem^{br}= 1698/
The House Mett according to adjournm^{t}./

Ordrd: That m^{r}: Gabrill Glaze have Leave to absent himselfe from y^{e} service of This House, and attend The Service of y^{e} same on Tuesday next, at Two of y^{e} Clock in y^{e}: afternoone./

A Bill to Enable Kathrine Snell y^{e}: only Daughter of Joshua Snell, Planter, Deceased to sell and alien Lands for her Maintenance and for y^{e}: Payments of Debts and Legacies Read ye Seccond Time and Past./

A Bill for Settling a watch in Charles Towne And for Preventing of fires, Read The first Time and Past wth: Amendments./

M^{r}— Speaker by Consent of y^{e}: Members adjourn'd The House Till Two of y^{e}: Clock on Tuesday next in y^{e}: afternoone./

Tuesday In The Afternoone, The 27th: Sept^{br}: 1698/
The House Mett according To adjournm^{t}:/

A Bill to Prevent Debitors and Criminalls Escape out of Gale and to Enable Creditors to recover their Debts of y^{e}: Goale Keeper, if Their Debt^{rs}: Shall Escape, Read The first Time and Past wth= amendments./

A Bill for y^{e}: Encouragement of y^{e}: Importation of White Servants Read y^{e} first Time and Past wth: amendments—/

A Bill for Registering Sales and Mortgages Committed to m^{r} Robt Stevens to be prepared and Presented to This House,/

M^{r}= Speaker by Consent of the Members Adjourn'd The House Till Eight of the Clock Tomorow Morning—/

Wednsday Morning The 28th:
Septembr: 1698/

The House Mett according to adjournmt./

A Bill for ye: Encourage ment of The Importacon of white Servants Read ye seccond Time & past/

A Bill to Settle a Mainetenance on a Minister of The Church of England in Charles Towne read ye— first Time and Past wth: Amendments./

Mr: Speaker by Consent of the Members adjourn'd The House Till 2 of the Clock in The afternoone,/

Wednsday In The afternoone The House
Mett according To adjournmt./

The Question is Putt whether The Indjan Trade as it is now Managed be agreiveance to this Settlement and Prejudicall to ye safety Thereof or not/ Caryed in The afirmative/

Resolved Nemine Contra Dicente That ye Indjan Trade be Regulated./

Ordered yt: the Method of Regulateing ye Indjan Trade be Debated in a Committee of ye whole Whole House Tomorow Morning ×/

A Bill for Settling a Watch in Charles Town—and for Preventing of fires Read ye 2d Time & past

Mr Speaker is Requested to Bring a Bill into this House to Secure ye: Titles of Lands to such ꝑsons as have Lost ye Same, in ye Late fire in Charles Towne/

Mr: Speaker by Consent of the Members adjourned The House Till Tomorow Morning Eight of ye Clock

Thursday Morning the 29th: Septbr: (98)
The House Mett according to adjournmt:

The House Resolved into a Committee of ye: whole house to Debate ye Method of Regulateing ye: Indjan Trade, and Wm= Smith Esqr Chosen Chaireman

Mr= Speaker reasumed The Chaire, and ye Chairman of ye sd Committe reported to ye House, That The Committe upon Debate of ye Matter, Resolved To Deferr the further Debate Thereof untill Tuesday Morning next./

Upon Heareing y^{e} above report, The House agrees to The Resolutions of y^{e}: said Committee,./

A Bill for Makeing and Mending High ways & paths and for Cutting of Creekes and Water Courses, read the Seccond Time and Past/

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent of ye Members Adjourned The House Till Two of ye Clock in y^{e}: afternoone/

Thursday/

In The after noone The 29th Sep^{t}: 1698/

Upon Reading The Petition of William Eliott for an act To make M^{r}: Benjamin Schenckingh, a Title to Two Towne lotts, Ordered y^{t} W^{m}— Smith Esqr: Doe Prepare a Bill for ye Same, and Present it to this House—./

Upon Reading The Petition of Capt Job: Hows for an act to Make Jacob Allen of The Island of Madera a Title to 1649 acres of Land Purchased in Carorolina/ Ordered That Capt Job Howes Doe Prepare and Bring into this House the said Bill./

A Bill to Enable Kathrine Snell The Only Daughter of Joshua Snell Planter Deceased to sell & aliene Certaine Lands for her mainetenance and for Payment of Debts and Legacies, ordered to be Ingrossed./

A message from y^{e}: Upper House to acquaint this house that they have appoynted Two members of their House to meete wth: some members of this House to Confer about y^{e}: Clause in ye Powder act Concerning ye Keeping of Quantities of Powder in Charles Towne to meete at Capt: William Smiths at six of ye Clock This Night ×

Ordered y^{t} Capt: Job Hows and Ralph Izard m^{r} Robert Stevens and Major^{r}: Thomas Broughton be a Committe to Confer wth ye Memb^{rs}: of ye uper House about ye aforesaid matter,/

M^{r}: Speaker, by Consent of ye Memb^{rs}: adjourned ye House Till 9 of ye Clock Tomorrow Morning./

Septemb^{r} ye 30th: 1698/ ffryday Morn,

The House Mett according to adjournm^{t}

A Bill for ye encouragem^{t}: of ye Importation of white Servants Ordered to be Ingrossed,

Ordered allso that a Bill for Settling a Watch In Charles Towne, and for Preventing of fires be Ingrossed,

A Bill for the New Surveying of Charles Towne Read ye first Time and Past w^th^: amendmen^ts^:

Ordered that m^r^: William Elliott have Leave to be Absent from y^e^. Service of This House Till Tuesday Noone Next,

Ordered y^t^ Doct^r^ Charles Burnham have Leave to be Absent from ye Service of this House Till Tuesday Morning Next,

Mr Speaker by Consent of ye members
Adjourned ye House Till 2 of ye Clock in ye afternoone

Ffryday In ye afternoone ye 30th: 7^ber^: 1698/

The House mett According to adjournm^t^/

A Bill to settle a Maintanance on a Minister of ye Church of England in Charles Towne Read ye The Seccond Time and Past/

Ordered y^t^ Capt: Georg Raynor have Leave To be absent from y^e^. Service of this House Till Munday noone next/

Ordered y^t^ M^r^: Robert Stevens have Leave to be Absent from y^e^: service of This House upon urgent Occations/

Ordered y^t^ M^r^: W^m^: Peter have ye Leave of This House To goe Home To Recover his health/

Mr Speaker by Consent of ye memb^rs^ adjourned ye House Till 8 Tomorow morning

The first of October 1698 in the morning
The House mett according To adjournment.

Ordered That an Act for Making & mending High ways and Paths and for Cutting of Creekes & water Courses be Ingrossed,

A Bill to Entitle m^r^ Benj^a^: Schencking to Two Towne Lotts in Charles Towne read ye first Time & past with Amendments,

A Bill to Prevent Deceipts by Double Mortgages of Lands Goods and Chattles, read ye first time and Past w^th^: amendments,

Ordered that m^r^: George Beadon Senr. after truly and honestly Laying and Packing Porke & Beefe Doe putt ye Packers marke of this Province upon y^e^: Same, till An Act of Assembly be Ratified for that purpose And y^t^ This order be sent to ye upper House for their Concurrance,

M^r^. Speaker by Consent of ye Members adjourn'd
The House Till 9 of ye Clock on Munday morn next

Munday morn ye 3^{d} of October 1698/

The House mett according to adjournment

A Bill to Settle a maintenance on a Minister of ye Church of England in Charles Towne, ordered To be Ingrossed/

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent of ye Members adjournd

The House till 2 a Clock in the afternoone/

Munday in The afternoone, The House Mett According To Adjournment,

A Bill to Prevent Deceipts by Double Mortgages and Conveyances of Lands, Negroes and Chattles. Read the Seccond Time and Passed/

A Message from ye uper House Desireing this House to Concurr wth: Them to ye following ordinance, vizt,

Whereas Three Negro men wch are now in ye Goalers Custody, are Accused for Killing of one of our Ffrindly and Neighbouring Indjans, The Speedy Tryall whereof as well to Prevent Escapes as to give the frinds of ye Murdered Indjans as Speedy Satisfaction as Conveniently Can be, as allso to amove ye Charge of ye Maintenance of ye Indjans which attend for The s^{d} Tryall, It is by ye Upper House of ye Assembly by and wth: the Advice & Consent of ye Commons assembled, Ordained That ye said Negroes shall be Imedjately Tryed according to y^{e}: Manner and forme · Sett Downe by a Bill now und^{r}: Consideration of and Twice Passed both Houses Entituled a Bill for y^{e} Better, ordering of Slaves &c—/

Signed by ord^{r} of y^{e} uper House/

Joseph Blake

The Commons of y^{e} Assembly assents to y^{e} above ordinance

Jonathan Amory Sp^{r}=

A Bill to Entitle m^{r}: Benjamin Schencking To Two Towne Lotts in Charles Towne read the 2^{d} Time and past/

Ordered that Capt Job How m^{r} Ralph Izard m^{r} Robert Stevens and Capt: Georg Dearsley doe attend y^{e} upper House, with y^{e} Constitutions they sent to this house, and Inq^{r}: of them whether they have any Power from y^{e} Pallatine and Lords Prop^{rs}. to alter any word or Clause in them & to Report Their Answer to This House/

Ordered y^{t}— M^{r}. Ralph Izard Capt. Geo. Dearsley & m^{r}: Georg Loggan doe Examine and State, y^{e} Capt of y^{e} forts acco^{ts}= of

Powder and money Received and Expended And Report y^{e} Same to This House—/

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent of y^{e} Members adjournd The House till to morrow morning Eight of y^{e} Clock/

Tuesday morning y^{e} 4th: October 1698/ The House mett according to adjournment,/

The Committee apoynted Yesterday to waite upon ye upper House wth ye Constitutions, report to this House y^{t}— ye upper House told them they have noe Power to Alter any part of ye s^{d} Constitutions ×

The House Resolved into a Committe of y^{e}: whole House to Debate y^{e}: method of regulateing the Indjan Trade, And m^{r} Robert Stevens Choosen Chaireman/

M^{r}: Speaker Reasumed the Chaire and The Chaireman of y^{e}: Committe reports to y^{e}: House y^{t}: ye s^{d} Committee had Come to ye following Resolutions

That y^{e}: Indjan Trade Shall be managed by a Publick Stock for the use of y^{e}: Publick,

That in y^{e}: Bill Care be taken y^{t} y^{e}: Present Traders have Time to fetch home Their Effects./

That every body may buy Skinns at Their owne Plantations for their owne use from Their Neighbour Indjans/

That ye Virginians be Prohibitted from Tradeing in This Province—/

That ye Commission^{rs} appoynted to Manage Doe not Send off any Skinns nor furrs on ye Publick acco^{t}: nor agree wth: any Merchant in England to furnish them wth: ye Same/

That the french Kings Subjects be Discouraged from makeing any further Progress in ye Indjan trade In This Province/

The House agrees wth ye Committe in ye afores^{d}: resolutions/ Ordered y^{t} Capt Job Howes m^{r} Ralph Izard m^{r}. Robert Stevens and Doct^{r}: Charles Burnham be a Committe to Prepare a Bill to Settle ye Indjan Trade and Present it to This House/

A Bill to Confirme The Title of Sixteene Hundred and fforty Nine acres of Land to Jacob Allen Esqr: Read ye first Time and Past/

Ordered y^{t} an act to Prevent Deceipts by Double mortgages of Lands &c: And an Act to Entitle m^{r} Benj^{a}: Schenckingh to Two Towne Lotts in Charles Towne be Ingrossed./

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent of y^{e}: Members adjourned ye House Till Eight of ye Clock tomorrow morning/

Wednsday Morning ye 5th 8^{ber}: 1698/ The House mett, according to adjournment/

Ordered that m^{r} Jonathan Amory Receiver Doe pay to himselfe out of ye Publick Money The Sume of one Hundred Dollars, for one Negro Slave y^{t} was yesterday Condemned to be Executed for a Publick Example, And y^{t} This ord^{r} be sent to ye up^{r}: House for their Concurrance, And y^{t} m^{r} Speaker Signe ye Same,

Wednsday y^{e}: 5th: of October 1698/

The above ord^{r} is assented to by This House—

Joseph Blake

Mr Speaker by Consent of ye Memb^{rs}—
Adjourned The House Till Two of ye Clock
In ye afternoone — —//

Wednsday In ye afternoone 2 of ye Clock,

The House Mett according to adjournm^{t}:

An Additionall act for ye Poore read ye 1st: Time and Past wth amendments/

Upon Reading ye Petition of m^{r} Peter Videau a Poore Planter, Ordered that m^{r} Jonathan Amory Receiv^{r} Doe pay to ye s^{d} Peter Videau out of ye Publick Money ye sume of one Hundred Dollars And y^{t} this ord^{r} be sent to ye upper House for y^{r}: Concurrance, And y^{t} m^{r} Speaker Signe ye said ord^{r}:/ Jonathan Amory Sp^{r}

The above ord^{r} Assented to by This House

Joseph Blake

A Bill for the Raiseing of a Publick Store of Powder for y^{e} Defence of This Province read y^{e} Seccond Time and Passed/

A Reviveing continueing & Repealeing Act ordered To be Ingrossed/

Mr Speaker by Consent of y^{e} Memb^{rs}= adjourned y^{e} House Till 8 of y^{e} Clock To morrow Morning

Thursday Morning y^{e}: 6th: of October, 1698/
The House Mett according To Adjournm^{t}:/

A Bill to Confirme the title of Sixteene Hundred and fforty nine acres of Land to Jacob Allen Esqr: &c read y^{e} Seccond Time and Passed,/

An Act for Ascertaineing ye Gauge of barr^{lls} and for A Voyding Deceipts in Selling and buying Beefe and Porke/ read ye 3^{d} Time and Past into a Law/

An Act for ye Entry of Vessells Read ye third Time and passed into a Law/

An Act to Enable Kathrin Snell only ye only Daughter of Joshua Snell Planter Deceased to sell sell and aliene Lands for her maintenance, and for ye Payment of Debts and Legacies, read ye 3^{d}: Time and Past into a Law/

An Act for makeing and Mending Highways and Paths & for Cutting of Creeks and watter Courses Read ye 3^{d} Time and Past into a Law/

Mr Speaker by Consent of ye Members adjourned y^{e}: House Till 2 of ye Clock in The Afternoone—/

Thursday in ye afternoone/ The House Mett According to adjournm^{t}:/

A Bill or an Additionall act for ye Poore read The Seccond time and Passed/

A Bill for ye Raiseing of a Publick Store of Powder, for ye Defence of this Province, and A Bill to Confirme ye Title of Sixteene Hundred and Forty nine acres of Land to Jacob Allen Esqr: &c Ordered to be Ingrossed/

An Act to Settle a maintenance on a Minister of ye Church of England in Charles Towne Read ye Third Time and Passed into a Law/

Mr Speaker by Consent of ye memb^{rs}— adjourned The House till 8 of ye Clock to Morrow Morning/

ffryday Morning 7th: October 1698/ The House Mett according to adjournm^{t}/

A Reviveing Continueing & Repealeing act, read The Third Time and Passed into a Law/

An Act for Settling a Watch in Charles Towne and for Preventing of ffires, read ye 3^{d} Time and Passed into a Law/

An Act to Entitle m^{r} Benj^{a}: Schenckingh to Two Towne Lotts in Charles Towne Read ye 3^{d} Time and Passed into a Law/

A Bill for ye Regulateing of ye Indjan Trade & for ye Makeing of it Safe and Benificiall to ye Publick Read ye first Time and Passed wth amendments,

The House Adjourned Till 2 of ye Clock In The Afternoone/

ffryday In the afternoone The House Mett according to adjournment/

An Act for Ascertaineing Publick officers ffees/ Read y^{e}: third Time and Passed into a Law/

An Act to Confirme y^{e} Title of 1649 acres of Land to Jacob Allen Esqr &c Read y^{e} 3^{d} Time and Passed into a Law/

Since the Soo=kah, Ya=ha=wee & Sax=a=Pah Indjans have neglected and Refused to bring Downe those Indjans That Murthered Robt: Stevens Junr: into y^{e} hands of this Government, to be Proceeded against as tha Hanious fact Deserves/ Ordered that Capt Job Howes and m^{r} Robt Stevens address y^{e} Governo^{r}: wth: y^{e} Rest of ye memb^{rs}— of ye Upper House That y^{e}: Governo^{r}: Doe ord^{r} and Declare ye Sooka, Yahawee and Saxapah Indjans And all other Indjans y^{t} have been Guilty of y^{e}— murther, to be Enemies of this Governm^{t} and as such to Proceed ag^{t}: them as in his Discretion shall Thinke most Just, Soe as the Reputation of ye English may not be Injured/

An Act for the Better Ordering of Slaves Read the Third Time and Past into a Law/

An Additionall act for ye Poore ordrd: to be Ingrossed ×

An Act for ye Raiseing a Publick Store of Powder for ye Defence of this Province, Read y^{e}: Third Time and Passed into a Law/

Mr Speaker by Consent adjourned ye house Till 8 of ye Clock Tomorrow Morning/

Saturday Morning The 8th: of October 1698/

The House Mett according to Adjournm^{t}/

An Additionall act for ye Poore Read y^{e}: 3^{d} Time and Passed into a Law/

An Act to Prevent Deceipts by Double mortgages and Conveyances of Lands Negroes and Chattles, Read the Third Time and Past into a Law/

An Act for ye Encouragem^t^ of ye Importation of white Servants Read the Third Time & past into a Law/

Ordered y^t^ Capt: Job Howes m^r^ Ralph Izard and m^r^ Robt Stevens be a Committe to Consider of The Country Agreiveances and what Elce may be Proper to Remonstrate to ye Lords, and Draw the matter of ye Same into a Method and Prsent it to This House the Next Sitting in Novemb^r^:/

Ordered that m^r^ Jonathan Amory Rec^r^— Doe pay M^rs^: Williams & Mrs Burroughs out of ye Publick Money the Sume of Eighteene Dollars for six-weekes Dyett & for Nursing a Poore Miserable wounded man And y^t^ This ord^r^ be Sent to ye uper house for y^r^: Concurrance. And y^t^ m^r^ Speaker Signe ye Same/

Jonathan Amory Sp^r^:

The above ord^r^ is Assented to by This House/

Joseph Blake ×

Ord^rd^: That m^r^: Jonathan Amory Receiv^r^: Doe pay out of ye Publick Money forty Dollars in full for Whiteing ye Look out on Sullivans Island, And y^t^ This ord^r^: be sent to ye upper House for Their Concurrance And y^t^: m^r^: Speaker Signe ye Same.

Jonathan Amory Spek^r^:

The above ord^r^: is Assented to by This House/

Joseph Blake

Ordered y^t^ m^r^ Jonathan Amory Receiver Doe Pay M^r^: ffrancis ffiddling out of ye Publick money the Sum of Thirty Dollars for Eight weekes Dyett and Nursing as allsoe for y^e^: Burriall of a Poore wounded Seaman, And That This ord^r^: be Sent to ye uper House for their Concurrance, And y^t^ m^r^ Speaker Signe ye Same

Jonathan Amory Sp^r^—

The above ord^r^ is Assented to by This House.

Joseph Blake

Ordered y^t^ m^r^ Jonathan Amory Receiv^r^ D^o^— Pay Doct^r^ Georg ffrankline out of ye Publick Money Twenty fower Dollars in full for Medicines and attendance on a Poore wounded Seaman and y^t^ this ord^r^. be sent to ye upper House for y^r^ Concurrance and y^t^ m^r^ Speaker Signe ye same/

Ordered That m^r^ Jonathan Amory Receiver Doe pay John Story ye Sume of Eight Dollars for his Ingrossing Severall acts of Assembly, And y^t^ he pay m^r^ ffrancis ffidling five Dollars for

Enterteyneing of him and y^{t}. This ord^{r} be sent to ye upper House for Their Concurrance, And y^{t} m^{r} Speaker Signe ye Same/

Jonathan Amory Sp^{r}:

The above ord^{r} is Assented to by this House/

Joseph Blake/

The House Adjourned Themselves Till 2 of ye Clock in ye afternoone—/

In The Afternoone The House Mett according to adjournm^{t},

1 An Act to Settle a maintenance on a Minister of The Church of England in Charles Towne/

2 An Additionall act for the Poore/

3 A Reviveing, Continueing and Repealing Act,

4 An Act to Prevent Deceits by Double Mortgages & Conveyances of Lands Negroes & Chattles/

5 An Act for ye Encouragem^{t}: of ye Importation of white Servants,

6 An Act for ye Assertaineing ye Gauge of Barr^{lls}: & for avoyding Deceits in selling & buying beefe & Porke/

7 An Act for the Raiseing of a Publick Store of Powder for the Defence of This Province/

8 An Act for Assertaineing Publick officers ffees/

9 An Act for ye Entry of Vessells/

10 An Act for makeing & Mending highways & paths & for Cutting of creekes & water courses/

11 An Act for the Better ordering of Slaves/

12 An Act for Settling a watch in Charles Towne And for Preventing of ffires/

13 An Act to Entitle m^{r}: Benj^{a}: Schenckingh to Two Towne Lotts in Charles Towne—/

14 An To Enable Kathrine Snell the only Daughter of Joshua Snell Planter Deceased, to Sell & aliene Lands for her maintenance/ and for the Payment of Debts & Legacies/

15 An Act to Confirme ye Title of Sixteene Hundred & forty nine acres of Land to Jacob Allen Esqr &c/

Ordered, That ye Speaker Doe P^{r}sent to ye R^{t} Hono^{ble}: Joseph Blake Govern^{r}: and to ye rest of ye memb^{rs}: of ye upper House for their Ratification An act Entituled an Act to Settle a maintenance on a Minister of ye church of England in Charles Towne, and

after y^{e}: s^{d}: act is Ratified That he Doe Likewise p^{r}sent to ye s^{d} Governo^{r} and upper house for their Ratification fourteene other acts whose Titles are above mentioned/

The above mentioned Acts of Assembly, being fifteene in Number were Ratified in open Assembly by ye Right Hono^{rble}: Joseph Blake Governo^{r}— and Proprieto^{r}: and the Lords Prop^{rs}: Deputyes This 8th: Day of October 1698//

Ordered y^{t} Capt: Job Howes and m^{r} Ralph Izard be a Committe to Joyne wth: whome ye upper House shall Appoynt, and that they Doe write Lett^{rs}/ to ye Lord Bishopp of London and Doct^{r}: Thomas Bray and give them the Thanks of this house for their Pious Care and Paines in Provideing and sending a minister of ye Church of England and Laying a foundation for a Good & Publick Library, and y^{t} m^{r}: Speaker Signe y^{e}: above Lett^{rs}: of Thanks in ye behalfe of this House—/

Ordered y^{t} Capt: Job Howes m^{r}: Ralph Izard & Doct^{r}: Charles Burnham Doe Examine & Consider what Constitutions are Most suteable and good for this Province in Generall and for this Settlement in Perticular, and y^{t} they Doe Draw up ye Same and P^{r}sent it to this House at y^{r}: next sitting in Novemb^{r}/

Ordered y^{t} m^{r}: John Alexand^{r}: Capt: Tho: Smith m^{r} William Elliott and m^{r} Thomas Elliott Memb^{rs}— of this House, Doe y^{e}: first Day of ye Sitting of y^{e}: Assembly in November next, attend this House to answer their Contempt, in absenting themselves from ye Service of this House—/

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent of ye Members adjourn^{d}: The House Till The Seccond Wednsday In Novemb^{r}. Next × × ×/

Wednsday in the Afternoone The 9th:
of November 1698/
The House Mett according to adjournmt/
Mr: Speaker by Consent of the Membrs: adjourned The House Till Tomorrow Morning Eight of ye Clock

Thursday in ye Morning The 10th: Novembr: 1698
The House mett according to adjournmt/
Ordered That mr: Robt. Hall have Leave to be absent from ye Service of this House Till Munday Next in ye afternoone:/
Mr Speaker by Consent of ye Membrs: adjourned The House till 2 of ye Clock in ye afternoone—/

In ye afternoone The House Mett according to adjournmt:
The Question is putt whether ye Constitutions brought into this House According to ye order of This House Shall with amendments be offred to ye Lords Proprs: or not/ Charged yt: they be offered to ye Lords Proprietors wth: amendments./
Mr: Speaker by Consent Adjourned the House Till 9 of ye Clock to Morrow Morning./

ffryday in ye: Morning ye: 11th: Novembr: 1698/
The House mett according to adjournment/
The House resolved in a Grand Committee to Debate ye Matter of ye Constitutions Drawne by this house now undr: Consideration. And mr Robt Stevens Choosen Chairman/
Mr Speaker reassumed ye Chair, and ye Chaireman of ye Committe Reported to ye house yt ye Committe aforesaid agreed to the following perticulars/
1st= That they Doe not agree to ye Nobility's haveing a Voate in ye upper House as in article ye 10th: nor have Power of Sitting as Members of Parliament in a Chamber by themselves nor to any other matter Relateing thereto./
2dly That severall amendments be made by Leaveing out and altering Severall matters and Things noted in ye: Constitutions aforesaid/
3dly That there be ye following Additions./

One article to Secure Lands to y^{e} People for Ever, at y^{e} now Purchase and Rents,/

That noe free Holders body y^{t} hath acres of Land and Vallue in Estate, Shall be attached in civill Causes/

That all Barronies allready Taken up be reduced to acres of Land and y^{t} all Prop^{rs}= or owners of Barronies have Years to sell The over Pluss/ in Parcells not Exceeding acres, or y^{e} s^{d} overpluss of Land to be free for other Persons to Take up/

Ordrd: y^{t}— Capt Job Howes and m^{r}: Robert Stevens doe Informe, y^{e} upper house/ That there is an Indjan Slave, man y^{t} Runn from Virginia and bought by Joseph Cooper, from ye Charakees, and y^{t}: they Doe request ye upper House/ to Take care y^{t} ye s^{d} Indjan Slave be Secured and Sent to Virginia, That his master may have him Paying The Charge/

Ordered allso y^{t} ye above Persons doe acquaint ye upper House that There is Three Indjan Male Slaves, (Vizt) Two Named Titus and Cupitt belonging To Capt: Hamilton and one Named Polaw, blonging To m^{rs}: Providence Grimball/ y^{t} is runn a way and Supposed to be Gon to S^{t}: Augustine. And y^{t} y^{e}: Governo^{r} will be Pleased to Take Such methods as shall be Thought Convenient to Send to S^{t}: Augustine to Informe y^{e} Governo^{r}: There of y^{e} Matter, and to Gett y^{e} s^{d} Slaves back/

Ordered that m^{r}: John Buckly and m^{r} Georg Logan be a Committe/ to Consider of such agrieveances as are Requisite to be redressed and Report y^{e} same to y^{e} house on Munday next in y^{e} afternoone—/

M^{r}= Speaker by Consent Adjourned The House Till Two of y^{e} Clock on Munday Next in y^{e} after Noone/

In The afternoone 14th: 9^{ber}: 1698/ Munday

The House Mett according to adjournm^{t}/

M^{r}: Speaker by Consent Adjourned y^{e} House Till To morrow Morning 9 of y^{e} Clock/

Tuesday in y^{e} Morning y^{e} 15th: 9^{ber}= 1698/

The House mett according To Adjournment/

A Bill to Prevent Debetors and Criminalls' Escape out of

Goale—/ and To Enable Creditors: to Recovr— Their Debts of ye Goals Keeper, if their Debtors Shall Escape/ Read ye 1st time & past wth amendmts/

Ordrd: That mr Thomas Rose Clerke of this House, Doe write faire Copyes of all Acts of Assembly that are wthout Limetation and now in force in this part of this Province, and ye Same make up in a Booke, and attest as true Copies and in his Custody Safely Keepe/ And yt mr Jonathan Amory Publick Recr: Doe Pay ye said Tho: Rose out of ye Publick Money 2s. 6d for Each act and for ye booke or Paper therein Expended, And yt This ordr be sent to ye uper House for their Concurrance, and yr mr Speaker Signe ye: Same, The above ordr is Assented to by this house.

Joseph Blake/

Mr: Speaker by Consent adjourned ye House.
Till 9 of ye Clock to Morrow Morning;

Wednsday morning ye: 16th: 9ber: 1698/
The House mett According to adjournmt:/

The Question is putt whether, The House Shall Pass ye bill for Regulateing ye Indjan Trade, wth: amendmts: or Reject itt/ Resolved yt: The sd Bill be Rejected

Mr: Speaker by Consent adjourned ye House/
Till 9 of ye Clock to Morrow Morning ×/

Thursday in ye Morning ye 17th: 9ber: 1698/
The House Mett according to adjournmt/

A Bill to Confirme mrs: Affra Coming Relict & Executrix of John Coming Esqr: Deceased to all The, Lands & Reale Estate of ye sd John Coming, Read ye 1st: Time and Past wth amendments,

Mr: Speakr: and Gentlemen/

You may Remember yt formerly there was a ℔cell of Rum belonging to Major— Robert Daniell/ Seized & Condemned here by an act made here. Which the Lords Proprs: were Pleased to Declare, null and voyd & to Send to us yt they Thought he ought to have some sattisfaction, Wee have sent you their Lettr: yt you may be satisfied wth: their oppinion in ye Matter, & Shall be Ready in Case you will ordr: ye: Repayment of yt part of itt that came into ye publick Treasury To Take Care yt: ye Prosicutor Pay his part after his Charges are Deducted/

Upon Debate of y^e above Message Resolved. Nemine Contra Dicente, y^t Major: Robert Daniell be not Repaid out of y^e Publick Money for any part of his Rum Seized and Condemned as aforesaid/

Mr Speaker by Consent adjourned The House Till nine of y^e Clock To morrow Morning/

November the 18th= 1698/
ffryday In The Morning,
The House mett according to Adjournm^t:

An act to Confirme m^rs: Affra Coming Relict & Executrix of John Coming Esqr: Deceased to all y^e: Lands and Reale Estate of y^e said John Coming Deceased Read the Seccond Time and Past,

Ordered that Ralph Izard Esqr: Doct^r: Charles Burnham and m^r John Buckley be a Comittee to take y^e Examination of M^r: John Buchanan Concerning Some, irregularityes of Certaine Persons y^t: uses y^e: Indjan Trade, and report y^e: Same, to this house, To Morrow Morning,/

Ordered that the Comitte last mentioned doe request the R^t: Hono^ble: the Governo^r= to make y^e: best Enquiry he can whether the french are Settled on mesichipi River and if they are, to Consider of the best wayes of removeing of Them/

Ordered that a Bill to Confirme to Affra Coming Relict and Executrix of John Coming Esqr Deceased all the Lands and reale Estate of y^e s^d John Coming Be Ingrossed/

November y^e: 18th: 1698/

M^r— Speaker and Gen^tm./

Wee Received yor Message/ this Day Sent us And at p^rsent have not any Thing further to add to what we formerly recomended to you, But Desire you to Dispatch what, Buisness you have now before you. And if you have thoughts of an adjournment we Desire you will not Expect it for to Long time And that you will before you rise this meeting, (Since you have not approved of yor owne Bill Lately before you for Regulateing the Indjan Trade) Appoynt a Committe to Consider of Some other way of Regulateing it ag^t yor next Sitting/ Joseph Blake/

Mr Speaker by Consent Adjourned The House Till Eight of ye Clock Tomorrow Morning/

Ordered that a Bill to confirme to Affra Coming Relict and Executrix of John Coming Esq. Deceased all the Land and reale Estate of ye John Coming. Be Ingrossed.

November ye 18th 1698

Mr Speaker and Gentlem.

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Joseph Blake

Mr Speaker by Consent Adjourned The House Till Eight of ye Clock Tomorrow Morning.

In The Morning of ye 19th November 1698. The House mett According to Adjournment.

Ordered that Mr Speaker Be Desired Madam Affra Coming the Thanks of this House for her pious and free gift of Seaventeene Acres of Land adjoyning to Charlestowne for ye Life of the Present Minister of The Church of England Lord Samuell Marshall and his Successors for Ever.

Ordered ye Mr Jonathan Amory Receiver Generall Do Layout in Dryed Skinns to ye value of Seaventy Pounds Currant Money and ye Same Ship for London in Some Schooner (found)

In The Morning y^{e}: 19th: November 1698/ The House mett According To Adjournment/

Ordered that m^{r} Speaker Doe Give Madam Affra Coming the Thanks of This House for her pious and free gift of Seaventeene acres of Land adjoyning to Charles Towne for ye use of the P^{r}sent Minister of the Church of England Doct^{r} Samuell Marshall and his Successo^{rs}— for Ever/

Ordered y^{t} m^{r} Jonathan Amory Receiver Generall Do lay out in Drest Skinns to ye vallue of Seaventy Pounds Currant Money and ye Same Shipp for London in Some Vessell bound thither, on acco^{t} and Risque of m^{r} Robert Clavill book seller in London for y^{e} paymenty of fifty three Pounds y^{t} is Due to y^{e} s^{d} Robert Clavell being part Payment of a Publick Library bought of him, And y^{t} the s^{d} Skinns be Consigned for sales to William Thornburgh Esqr= And y^{t} he be Desired to Lay out y^{e} over plus (if any) in Such Bookes as he Shall Thinke Proper for y^{e} Publick Library That are not allready Mentioned in the Catalogue of y^{e} s^{d} Library And y^{t} this ord^{r} be sent to y^{e} Uper House for their Concurrance And y^{t} Mr Speaker Signe ye Same—/

The above ord^{r}: Assented to by this House—

Joseph Blake—

An Act to Confirme to Affra Coming (Relict and Executrix of John Coming Esqr: Deceased) all ye Lands and Reale Estate of ye said John Coming Read Three Times and past into a Law/

Ordered y^{t} y^{e}: Receiver Generall pay out of the Publick money To the Commission^{rs}: of The Towne or any Two or Three of Them as much money as will Defray, The Charge of Building a House of Sixteene foot Long and Tenn foot broad cleare within ye wall, wth: a Chimney & a Petition for a Watch House and Cage, allso for a Pair of Stocks. The wall of said House to be built of the stones already belonging To the Publick and y^{t} This ord^{r} be sent to The Upper House for their Concurance And y^{t} m^{r} Speaker Signe the Same/ The above order is Assented to by This House/

Joseph Blake/

Ordered That James Risbee Esqr: Capt of ye fort Doe pay Thomas Hawyard Receiver of The Publick Powder The Sum of Thirty Two Pounds Seaven Shillings & fower pence halfe peny in money And one hundred & Three Pounds of Cleane Serviceable Gunn Powder And he Giveing a Receipt for the same Shall be in full for The Ballance of The said James Risbees Acco^{t}= of Powder and Money Received in Leiu There of on Acco^{t}: of y^{e} Publick and

y^t This order be Sent To y^e upper House for Their Concurrance And that m^r Speaker Signe y^e Same/

The above order Assented To by This House

Joseph Blake—

Ordered that Elizabeth Bellinger widdow and Relict of Richard Bellinger Deceased Doe pay Thomas Hawyard Receiver of y^e: Publick Powder The Sume of Seaven Dollars being the Ballance of y^e s^d Richard Bellingers acco^ts: of Powder Received on acco^t= of y^e: Publick And y^t: This order be sent to y^e: upper House for Their Concurrance and y^t: m^r Speaker signe y^e: Same/

The above Order Assented to by this House, Jos Blake

Ordered y^t y^e Members hereafter mentioned doe Joyne in severall and select Committees to Consider of some way of Regulateing ye Indjan Trade, and a method of ye same Lay Downe and Report To This House at their first Sitting in february Next/

Ralph Izard Esqr
Capt Job How
m^r Robt: Stevens
Capt Tho Smith
} a Comittee

Capt Geo: Dearsly
m^r Will White
} a Comite

Major: Tho Broughton
Mr: John Ashby
Capt: Robert Johnson
} a Comittee

Doctr: Charles Burnham
Wm: Smith Esqr/
m^r Jno: Buckley
m^r= Geo: Loggan
} a Comite

m^r John Cowen — —
m^r: Hugh Hext
Mr Abra: Waight
} a Comitte

Capt Georg Raynor
Capt= Wm Davis
} a Comittee

Capt: John Hamilton
m^r Charles Odingsells
m^r John Whitmarsh
} a Comittee

To The R^t: Hono^ble= The true and Absolute Lords and Prop^rs= of The Province of Carolina/

The Humble Address and Remonstrance of The Members of the House of Commons of This Southwest Part of This said Province/

Yo^r= Lordshipps Gracious and Condescending Powers to our Late Governo^r: John Archdale Esqr: to Enact with the advice and Consent of yor: Deputyes and Generall Assembly Such Laws as they Should Thinke Expedient and To alter any former Laws That should be thought fitt to be altered, hath by the Laws made and altered by Virtue of the s^d Powers been soe advantagious to all the Inhabittants of this yor: Collony That wee are and Ever shall be obliged to Recognize yor: Lordshipps ffavo^r: Thereby, And Doth further Encourage us to Remonstrate to yor: Lordshipps our P^rsent Greivances and to address you for y^e: Removall of Them/ And yor assents to Some New Laws which yor Deputyes

Say they have not Power to Joyne wth: us to Remove & Enact, They are Soe Indifferent to yor Lordshipps Interest, Different from y^{t} fatherlike Care w^{ch}: you have Shown to us and so Agreeable to yor Lordshipps Royall Powers and Prerogatives Granted to you by yor Charter and not Disagreable to The Laws of y^{e} Kingdome of England but soe Generally Conduceing to the well fare Peace and Prosperity of The Inhabittants of this yor= Collony— That wee will not Doubt of yor Lordshipps Complyance with those Little Things Compared to Those many and Grand favours you have Done us. It's true some of Them are of y^{t} Nature, That we Know y^{t} yor: Lordshipps Cannot Doe Them yor Selves, And y^{t} yor: Interest wth: his most Gratious Majestie is Great Enough to Secure them for us/

(1st) That The Governo^{r}= and yor: Lordshipps Deputyes, have not wth: y^{e} Advice and Consent of y^{e}: Generall Assembly y^{t} Power, to Repeale Such Laws (if thought Expedient) Confirmed by yor: Lordshipps and allso are soe Limeted by Instructions that they want, Such Power as is Necessary for the Better Governm^{t}= of this yor= Lordshipps Collony/

(2dly) That the Government, Pretends to putt in Practise & force an Act Entituled an Act for the Restraining Privaters and Pirates, Dated y^{e}: Day of which was never made according to any of yor: Lordshipps Instructions, Rules of Governm^{t}: and Constitutions nor wth: the Consent of ye Majo^{r}: Part of ye Deligates of ye People and which allso wants a Confirmation under hand and Seale In open Assembly/

(3) That the High Sheriffe is Continued in his office Longer Then one yeare/

(4) That ye office of high sheriffe and Judge of ye Court of Please is Conferred upon one and ye same ꝑson.

(5) That There is not an Exemplified Coppy in This Governm^{t}: of the Kings most Gratious Charter/

(6) That Such great Tracts of Land are taken up & yett ꝑmitted to be taken up in one Intire Peice to the Great Pejudice of This Yo^{r}: Lordshipps Collony and the Inhabittants Thereof,

(7) Wee Therefore Request, Yo^{r} Lordshipps That for y^{e}= future— no Greater Quantityes Then one Thousand acres/ of Land may be taken up in one intire peice which will much Strengthen This Settlem^{t}—/

(8) That Yo^{r}: Lordshipps would allso Condecend and Grant for y^{e} further Encouragement of the Inhabittants of this yor:

Collony the freedome of yor Loyalty of whale Fishing for one and Twenty Years/

(9) And wth Humble Submission to yor: Lord Shipps wee farther Request y^{t} yor: Lordshipps would Condesend to Give and Order us ye Liberty of Coyneing here, which power and Royalty we have Great Reason tho not ℙticularly Exprest, to believe his Late Majestie in his Lett^{rs}: Pattents hath Granted to yor: Lordshipps/

(10) That your Lordshipps would Interceed with his most Gratious Majestie for ye takeing of ye Duty of Rice Turpentine Rossin Pitch and Tarr, Impor(ted) Imported from this Province and Such further Encouragment for ye Importation Thereof as yor Lordshipps Shall thinke Requisitt and Necessary for y^{e}: advancement of This Yo^{r}: Collony/

(11) And allso y^{t} yor: Lordships would Procure us Some Zant and other Late Ripe Grapes, both Plants & seedes wth: Capers French Prunella's Smirna Currans And y^{e}: Severall Sorts of Rice, all which we are in Great hopes may be Produced here/

(12) That yor Lordshipps would Procure and Send us by y^{e}: first oppertunity a moddell of a Rice mill/

All Which we refer to yor: Lordships Considerations & Doubt not but yor: Lordshipps will Redress our Greivances and all things y^{t} Lyes in Yo^{r} Lordshipps Power for the advancement of this Yo^{r} Collony, and us y^{e} Inhabittants thereof, with Great assurance, wee Beleive you will use your utmost Power to Procure/

Ordered y^{t}= Ralph Izard Esqr: M^{r}= Robert Stevens, and Capt Job Howes be a Committee to write a Lett^{r}: to y^{e} Honour^{ble}: the Lords Proprietors wth: Reasons to Redress our Greivances therewith sent, with allso y^{e}: Thankes of This House for y^{r}: Generous P^{r}sent of Soe Considerable Part of our Publick Library And That m^{r}: Speaker Signe the said Lett^{r}— with the Remonstrance of the Greivances and Address therewith Sent × ×

M^{r}= Speaker by Consent of y^{e} members adjourned, Till y^{e} 2^{d}: Wednsday in february Next at Three of y^{e} Clock in y^{e} after Noone ×

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